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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. J. C. Potts is quite sick.

If you want a nobby shoe go to Taggart's.

G. W. Beecher spent Thursday in Hackberry.

Richard Marsh spent several days here this week.

John Popham was down from Stockton Hill Sunday.

The San Francisco Chronicle for this place were carried by two days in succession this week.

E. M. Sanford returned to Prescott Thursday night.

J. C. Brown, of Stockton Hill, is in town this week.

Mrs. W. H. Taggart has been quite ill during the week.

Thos. Eager, of the "78" mine, was in town Tuesday.

John J. Goshorn came over from Mineral Park last night.

Bread 15 cents a loaf at the Bon Ton. Eight loaves for \$1.00.

Robt. Hart is now in charge of the railroad pump at Truxton.

A three room cottage for sale cheap. Enquire of J. R. Halsey.

C. J. McLaren returned to Lost Basin on Tuesday this week.

Beecher & Co.'s big team brought in a load of ore from the Attala mine.

John Blakely has gone to Quail Springs after some cattle for Dr. Sherman.

Fatly Landy is doing a fifteen days' work for the county for being drunk.

Messrs. Russell & Hubble are papering and otherwise improving the Idelwild.

The Wallapai Indians are having their monthly fill of government beef and flour.

E. O. Cowan, of Peach Springs, spent several days in the county seat this week.

Messrs. Fay & Zeimer are getting things in shape to open the dairy part of next week.

H. R. McClure came up from the Sandy in time to get the benefit of the snow storm.

Buy a lunch check at the Bon Ton and save 50 cents on every \$5.00 worth of meals.

FOR SALE.—A lot of Babbitt metal. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire at this office.

Supervisor Nelson came down from Peach Springs Monday and spent several days here.

A special train containing the officers of the A. & P. road on a tour of inspection passed west today.

H. White and family left on Sunday morning last for Missouri, where they will reside in the future.

Wednesday night about six inches of snow fell here, and there is plenty of it on the ground at this writing.

Commercial printing of all kinds a specialty at the Miner office. Call and examine samples and prices.

Under the new management at the Flores we understand that Lew Lassell will have charge of the mill.

Frost & Larkin are fitting up their new market in the Luthy block and will move to their new quarters next week.

The miners don't have any use for this snow and rain, but it causes a broad grin to come over the cattleman's face.

M. D. Howell was down from the C. O. D. mine this week, and had the Sampling Works run through three tons of ore.

J. H. Johnson told us that he has lost several head of stock lately and thinks blackleg is the cause of their death.

A three-year-old child of Henry I. Roundtree died of spinal meningitis on the 14th of February at Peach Springs.

For Sale. A light-running New Home Sewing Machine. The best sewing machine made. For price call at this office.

N. P. Pierce, an old-timer, is off for Signal, Mohave county, where a ten-stamp mill is running and paying.—Prescott Courier.

Henry Lambert and Henry Roberts, two cattlemen from the Colorado River, spent a couple of days in Kingman this week.

J. R. Halsey, the lumber man, has been shipping a lot of lumber to J. L. Nelson and Robert Frazier, at Peach Springs.

Mr. Cummings, of the Wallapai Mountain Spring, has recently moved his family from Tulare county, Cal., to his ranch at the Spring.

Generally speaking, the gentleman who has just accepted a position is not a bit happier about it than the man who has just got a job.

Mr. Geo. W. Bannantine, of St. Louis, one of the stockholders in the Golden Gate Mining Company, arrived Wednesday of this week.

District Court will meet on the first Monday in April, and from indications will be the busiest session held in this county for some time.

Miss Carrie Gross, who has been spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. O. F. Kuenner, returned to her home in Mineral Park this week.

M. Wright, who has been here for the past three weeks in the interests of the New York Life Insurance Company, left for California on today's train.

The same things strike different men differently—snowballs, for instance.—Burlington Free Press.

J. N. Cohonour and E. L. Frazier, of Peach Springs, spent several days here this week. They were witnesses in the Blonger-Fay examination.

Foster S. Dennis returned Thursday night from a visit to San Francisco, to his wife and baby. Mr. Dennis says that his is the finest baby in the world.

The receipts of the Recorder's office for the month of February were \$175, and Recorder (Jodman) has turned into the County Treasury the above amount.

Samuel Crozier came in from his ranch at Truxton Springs last night on some business connected with his duties as Chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

The Flores Consolidated Gold Mining Company are moving the stamps and concentrators of the old Welton mill from Mineral Park to their mine at Cerit.

W. J. Boreham, of Fort Mohave, was in Kingman on Tuesday of this week. He was on his way to attend court at San Bernardino, Cal., as a witness in a land case.

W. H. Rogers returned last night from a visit of several weeks to California. Mr. Rogers says that while California is a good place to live, Arizona is good enough for him.

Chas. H. Beecher has put in a corrugated iron ceiling and repapered and repaired his saloon in a style that is at once attractive and elegant. Charley keeps just a little ahead.

The passenger trains are not now running on a regular time card, as none has been issued by the A. & P. Company. The west-bound train arrives here at 10:20 a. m. and the east-bound at 9:20.

O. F. Kuenner, H. H. Watkins and J. J. Hyde have recently set out around their residences a large number of cottonwood trees, and they propose in the years to come to enjoy the shade under their own cottonwoods.

The Board of Supervisors, in compliance with a mandamus issued by Judge Wright, met on Thursday to prepare a list of names from which to draw Grand and Petit Jurors. Supervisors Nelson and Johnson were present.

California and Eastern clothing houses have taken out of this town during the past year several thousand dollars for tailor-made clothing, consequently we think that Kingman would be a good place for a merchant tailor.

Our popular young townsman, Mr. J. F. Meador, cashier of the Bank of Prescott and agent of Wells, Fargo & Co., left on last Saturday's train for San Francisco, to visit his brother, H. C. Meador, who formerly resided in Prescott.—Courier.

Why don't you fence your houses? Material too dear? Not at all. Halsey will sell you Redwood posts and fancy pickets at \$50 per thousand, and balance of material at 45¢ per thousand. Put up a fence and make your place look respectable and inviting.

The railroad officials have taken off the track walkers, and now the accidents are beginning to be numerous. The track walkers have been safeguards to a certain class of accidents, and a few wrecks will cost the company more money than ever the watchmen will.

Have you got consumption, asthma, sore throat, bronchial trouble, dyspepsia, nervous prostration or any chronic troubles? If so, send a postal to Drs. Starkey and Paxon, 1527 and 1529 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., and they will send you a 200 page book free.

An accident occurred at Barstow, on the A. & P., one day this week. A freight ran into the rear of a passenger train. It threw the rear coaches from the track, but luckily no one was injured. A rock on the track in Johnson's Canyon caused an accident to a freight train on Thursday.

It is said that the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad will expend two million five hundred thousand dollars in placing the roadbed, bridges and depot buildings of the line in thorough repair. The shops of the company at Albuquerque will be enlarged. Thirty-five men will be put on each section immediately and the roadbed put in first-class condition.

The passenger train from the East due here at 10:20 yesterday morning did not arrive until 12:20 today, when three sections arrived. The delay was owing to an accident a few miles east of Fairview. The accident was caused by the spreading of the rails and letting the locomotive off the track and completely wrecking it. No one was hurt, but it took time and hard work to clear the track.

"The most terrible scandal yet!" excitedly exclaimed a caller yesterday. "It breaks me all up! Shameful! Disgraceful! You haven't heard of it? It is all over town! What will outsiders say of us? What is it? Oh! good Lord, keep it still, won't you? I and two others are the only ones that know anything about it. And you won't tell? Well, Spring has got out of the lap of Winter and applied for a divorce!"

Messrs. Frost & Larkin, who have been prospecting for water near the upper end of the Wallapai wash, struck water at a depth of twenty feet. The well is now thirty feet deep and there is an abundance of water for all purposes for which they need it. The water will be piped to a point a thousand feet below the well, where a canal will be built. It is the intention of these gentlemen to range their beef cattle here. They expect, in a few days, a hundred head from Utah, and will put them on this range.

Any of our readers who will send ten cents to the American Publishing Company, 386 Fairmount avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., that company will send them, postage paid, "The weird and wonderful story of She, or adventures in the caves of Kor," by H. R. Haggard. Published in four volumes, size of Seaside Library.

We hope all our readers will improve this opportunity to get this fascinating story, which is so much praised by all the leading papers and magazines.

F. St. Q. Cockburn, of the Arizona Sampling Works, returned from St. Louis Wednesday morning, where he has been for the past four months furthering the mining interests of this section. Mr. Cockburn is a firm believer in the extended mineral wealth of the mines in this county, and thinks that the time and labor spent in the East will bring good results to the mining interests of this section; and that, too, within a few months. Mr. Cockburn, who is fully posted as to the output and development work done in this district, says that the outlook for the miners for the coming year is very bright.

It is said that arrangements are now being made by the St. Louis & San Francisco road for assuming joint management with the Atchison company of the Atlantic & Pacific. Extensive repairs of the last named road are to be undertaken at once, amounting almost to a rebuilding of the line. New ties will be laid almost throughout, the smaller bridges have to be rebuilt, and new iron is needed on some parts of the road. The Atlantic & Pacific has been under the management of the Atchison for a year and a half, but the Frisco lately became dissatisfied with the way property was being treated, and a commission consisting of representatives of the St. Louis & San Francisco, Atlantic & Pacific and Atchison, lately went over the line on a tour of inspection, with the result above stated.

The preliminary examination of Kitty Blonger and D. M. Fay, accused of the murder of Charles Hill at Peach Springs on the 22d day of February, 1888, took place before Justice of the Peace Conant this week. The examination occupied the greater portion of three days. District Attorney Williams represented the people and E. M. Sanford, Esq., of Prescott, the defendants. The evidence was taken in writing and James J. Hyde performed this arduous task. The following witnesses gave their testimony: J. L. Rogers, Geo. T. Smith, J. N. Cohonour, J. L. Nelson, C. M. Walker, W. H. Henry, J. H. Moller, Frank Peck, A. S. Coon, R. L. Frazier and James Wales. The evidence being sufficient to hold the defendants, they were committed to the Sheriff, and they will probably be tried at the April term of the District Court. James J. Hyde has been retained as an attorney in the case to assist Mr. Sanford in the defense.

At the Sampling Works.

Silver \$.9575. Lead \$4.75.

The Sampling Works have worked the following lots of ore since our last issue:

A lot of high grade ore from D. W. Carl & Co., from Ivanpah district. This ore was from the mines of Messrs. Lane and Rule.

A three-ton lot of ore was run through for the C. O. D. mine, and was as good as usual.

W. H. Lake had a small lot of ore from Stockton Hill sampled.

Chas. E. Sherman had a small lot of ore worked.

Worth Knowing.

Mr. W. H. Morgan, merchant, Lake City, Pa., was taken with a severe cold, attended with a distressing cough and running consumption in its first stages. He tried many so-called popular cough remedies and steadily grew worse. Was reduced in flesh, had difficulty in breathing and was unable to sleep. Finally tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and found it a sure relief, and after using about half a dozen bottles a total cure was effected. He had no return of the disease. No other remedy can show so grand a record of cures as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Guaranteed to do just what is claimed for it. Trial bottle free at H. H. Watkins' Drug Store.

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MINING NOTES.

Among some of the mines now being worked in this, the Wallapai Mining District, we are informed by our correspondent, who has recently taken a trip over the hills, that the prospect in the near future is very bright. Among the many he particularly mentions the Old Key-stone mine at Mineral Park, the "63," now known as the "78" mine, the Flores, Vanderbilt, Twins, Champion, Rural, Stark & Ewing, and Rural Extension, known as the Josephine, and several others which have been lying idle for some time.

THE KEYSTONE MINE.

This mine is now producing some of the richest ore ever taken from the mine at the 150 and 200-foot levels. This claim, if energetically worked, would keep the ten-stamp mill running constantly on \$50 ore. It is, however, leased, and the lessees are only handling high grade ore—\$150 to \$300 ore. This mine has formerly produced as much first-class ore as any mine in the District, and would again if worked as it should be. Foreign corporations, who work only by fits and starts, and spend the money that should be used in developing the mines upon favorites and costly Superintendents, will never make a success in mining. We can count scores of failures which can be traced to the one sole cause of placing incompetent men in charge of mining ventures. Eastern corporations seldom make a success in mining, because they have to maintain a cloud of ignorant officials, who squander the money intended for development. The result, which every one foresees, is the closing down of the mine and disruption of the company. We know of many mines in this county which would to-day be good-paying properties if placed under honest and practical management.

THE "78" MINE.

This mine is situated near Stockton Hill and was formerly known as the "63" mining claim. Formerly it was one of the best known mines in the county and a famous producer. The ore was of very high grade, ranging from \$30 to \$1200 per ton, and the freest milling ore in the District. More than thirty tons of the ore was worked at the Mineral Park mill that paid over \$1000 per ton, and large quantities of still richer ore were shipped to San Francisco for reduction. The mine probably produced over \$150,000 between 1872 and 1878. There is no account of the amount taken from the mine by lessees since 1878, but it was undoubtedly very large. Last winter, in November, the property was sold to a San Francisco party, who are now exploiting the mine in first-class style. A shaft has been sunk on the claim below the old workings, which were caved and rendered useless. Mr. T. Eager is running a drift, which is now in over 80 feet from the Main working shaft. The footwall of the ledge has been encountered within the week, and as this drift will be over 100 feet deeper than any of the old shafts, and the main ore chute is distant only 90 feet from the main shaft, ore is expected to be encountered any moment, when a large force of men will be engaged. There is no doubt but that the company is in the eve of a great strike in this mine, which will bring back the lively times of '73 and '74.

THE FLORES MINE.

This property, which has lately been in trouble from an overdose of "houses" and "Superintendents," is about being started up under the management of Mr. Jno. H. Campbell, a practical mining engineer. The mill we learn will be under the management of L. Lassell, Esq., than whom a more competent mill man cannot be found in the Territory. This time the mine will get a fair show, and we predict a success in every respect, as there can be no doubt but that the mine is all that has been claimed for it. "Col." may be useful in the army, and may be a necessity, but they are not essential or even necessary to the profitable and economical working of a mine. They are a luxury that may well be dispensed with in the economy of our mines. Messrs. Campbell and Lassell are taking down the stamps of the Welton mill at the Park and will put them up in connection with the Flores machinery, together with the Frisco concentrators, when all will be hammering away soon on 20 gold ore.

THE VANDERBILT MINE.

This mine is now leased by James Frigges and Mr. Campbell, and we are glad to say that the ore now being taken from the Vanderbilt is the finest lot ever yet extracted from the mine. Our friends at Prescott have been shouting until the echo has resounded throughout the Continent at the richness of the Howard mine, etc. Now, what would they say if we tell them that the ore taken out of the Vanderbilt will average \$150 per ton in free gold, and not by any means a "pocket." We are not yelling like mad at \$150 per ton in gold. We have lots of mines here that will turn out \$100 per ton in gold. The Flores, the Eureka, the Vanderbilt, the Oro Plata and the Alpine will do it. We are modest and can afford to be. We have the richest, the largest and the most numerous number of ledges (paying ones) of any county in the Territory. And it is only a question of time when we will turn out more gold, lead and silver bullion than all the counties of the Territory combined. This is not an idle boast, but a stern fact, and the figures will show for it before long.

We have not space in this issue to give our correspondent's views upon the future of this mining section, but will endeavor to do so in our next, with an account of all the mines being worked in the District.

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Renews His Youth.

Mrs. Phoebe Chasley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and rheumatism for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and restored completely all disease and pain. Try a bottle, only 50 cents at H. H. Watkins' Drug Store.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In the Probate Court of Mohave County, Territory of Arizona.

In the Master of the Estate of Wm. M. Krider, deceased.

An application having been made to the said Court by Ed. Horke, Administrator, for an order to sell certain real and personal property of said estate to-wit: Certain place or parcel of land situated in the town of Mineral Park, in said county, together with the buildings and improvements thereon including the saloon, store building, stable, blacksmith shop and other buildings owned by deceased in his life time.

Also to interest in the Silver M. water and Pacific mines, situated in the Wallapai Mining District, in said county.

Also certain real property of said estate, to-wit: One billiard table, no sofa, one pair scales, and bar fixtures, etc., belonging to said estate. And the said Court having made an order that the said petition be heard on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Court House of said county and that the Clerk of this Court give notice by publication to all parties interested.

Therefore all parties interested are hereby notified to be and appear before said Court at the time and place hereinbefore set forth for hearing said petition, to show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this 2nd day of March, A. D. 1888.

Geo. W. Bassacra, Clerk.

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